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REMARKS

The Examiner has required restriction of claims 32 – 39 and 41 – 47 to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121:

Group I, claims 32 – 39 and 44 – 46 drawn to a method of making recombinant yeasts, classified in class 435, subclass 483, and

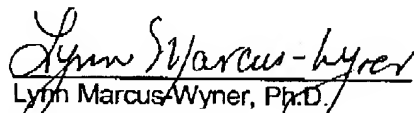
Group II, claims 41 – 43 and 47 drawn to recombinant yeast, classified in class 435, subclass 254.11.

Applicant elects, with traverse, the claims of Group I and has withdrawn Group II claims 41 – 43 and 47 from prosecution.

Applicant has also added new claims 48 – 52. Claim 48 is an independent claim and claims 49 – 52 are dependent thereon. New matter has not been introduced by said claims and Applicant asserts the new claims are clearly supported by the specification and the original claims.

Applicant believes the claims are in condition for allowance and an early allowance is kindly requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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